

RESOLUTION NO. 2013-08

A RESOLUTION authorizing the purchase of a Tideflex Series CheckMate Check Valve from Tideflex Technologies to be used for the Lynwood Center Drainage Project with a purchase price of \$24,531.00 (not including freight costs) as a sole source purchase without calling for bids, and further authorizing the City Manager to execute all appropriate and necessary documents to complete the purchase and transaction.

WHEREAS, Section 3.72.020(B) of the Bainbridge Island Municipal Code states that staff “shall continue on an ongoing basis to obtain the lowest practical price for supplies, materials, and equipment purchased under this section”; and

WHEREAS, RCW 39.04.280(1), RCW 35.23.352(9) and state law in general recognize a "sole source purchase" exception from competitive bidding requirements when, due to the uniqueness of the product to be purchased and the fact that there is only one source, it would be futile to utilize a competitive bidding process for such product; and

WHEREAS, the City requires the purchase of a 48” Tideflex Series CheckMate Slip-In, Inline Check Valve to be used for the Lynwood Center Drainage project; and

WHEREAS, for operational reasons, the part must have certain key features, including the following:

- The CheckMate valve is maintenance free.
- The valve can be installed without modifications to the existing 48” outfall pipe.
- The CheckMate valve operates at extremely low head loss. This means since the valve is installed inside the pipe, that restriction of the mechanism is minimal.

WHEREAS, the City conducted extensive research regarding available check valves and concluded that only the check valve available through Tideflex Technologies, which holds the patent through its subsidiary Red Valve Company, would satisfy the requirements and criteria; and

WHEREAS, Tideflex Technologies is the only source for the valve and is willing to sell the valve to the City for a purchase price of \$24,531.00 (not including freight costs); and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds it would be futile to call for bids regarding the described equipment since only a check valve from Tideflex Technologies will satisfy the stated requirements and criteria and Tideflex Technologies is the only source for the equipment; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that it is in the best interest of the City to authorize purchase of the check valve from Tideflex Technologies as a sole source purchase without calling for bids, now, therefore,

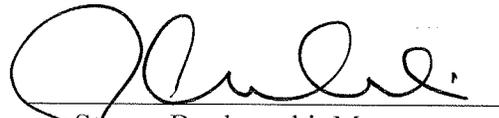
THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BAINBRIDGE ISLAND, WASHINGTON, DOES RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:

1. The City Manager is hereby authorized and directed to purchase the Tideflex Series CheckMate Check Valve from Tideflex Technologies as a sole source purchase without calling for bids to be used to for the Lynwood Center Drainage Project for a purchase price of \$24,531.00 (not including freight costs).

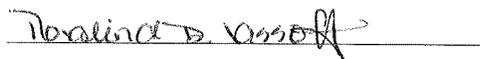
2. The City Manager is further directed to execute all appropriate and necessary documents to complete the purchase and transaction. The final form of said documents shall be reviewed and approved by the City Attorney or his designee.

PASSED by the City Council this 24th day of April, 2013.

APPROVED by the City Council this 24th day of April, 2013.


Steven Bonkowski, Mayor

ATTEST/AUTHENTICATE:


Rosalind Lassoff, City Clerk

FILED WITH THE CITY CLERK: April 11, 2013
PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL: April 24, 2013
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